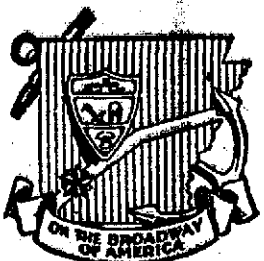


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## President Sees H-Bomb War as Very Unlikely

By MERRIMAN SMITH

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower says an H-bomb war with Russia is unlikely because the Kremlin never would challenge America's atomic might except in a "fit of madness or through miscalculations."

In an informal but solemn radio-TV talk last night Mr. Eisenhower said Americans are beset by five basic fears — Russia, the atomic age, loss of Allies, Communist penetration at home, the chance of a depression.

He declared that all of these — even their "dramatic symbol," the H-bomb — have been exaggerated. He urged faith in America's strength and greatness, and end to "hysteria."

Mr. Eisenhower said there are "sobering" reasons why Moscow is unlikely to launch a hydrogen war — the example of other aggressors who failed the weakness of their satellite system, economic flaws, and above all U. S. possession of the H-bomb and U. S. determination to retaliate if attacked.

Nevertheless he said insanity still exists in the world and the United States must plan "very coldly and very carefully" for the possibility — however remote — that the Russians might plunge the world into an incredibly destructive atomic war.

Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland said it was "one of the great speeches" of the President's career. Other Republicans were equally enthusiastic but at least on Democratic leader called it "disappointing."

As a television performance observers agreed it was extremely effective the best Mr. Eisenhower has done yet. He leaned casually against a desk in the White House broadcast room, he spoke calmly and easily, although he only had notes on reminder cards to guide him, and his earnestness carried across the screens.

"I don't mean to say and no one can say to you that there are no dangers," he declared, punctuating his point with a thrust of his hand, "but we do not have to be hysterical. We can be vigilant, we can be Americans. We can stand up and hold up our heads."

"The danger of communism at home he said has been 'greatly exaggerated.' He advised the public to put its trust in the 'great bulwark' of the FBI which is doing a 'magnificent job.'"

Instead of dwelling on the 3,700,000 unemployed, he said the nation should think about the 60,000,000 employed — "very near an all-time high." Unemployment — a symptom of the transition from war to peace — "happily shows signs now of leveling off," he said.

The massive hydrogen bomb tests in the Pacific have led to world-wide concern about the chances of an atomic war. But Mr. Eisenhower warned against "hysterical thinking," "the jitters or any kind of panic."

He said the "men in the Kremlin" are well aware of the "sobering" effect that would flow from such a conflict. And of all of these, he added, "none is greater than the retaliation that would certainly be visited upon them if they were to attack any of our nation or any part of our vital interests aggressively and in order to conquer."

The two main things to remember about the H-bomb, he said, are:  
1. "With respect to that bomb, we are not going to start a war. We are not going to be used by our initiative."  
2. "The H-bomb is a threat to us only if a potential aggressor, who also has the secret of the H-bomb, determines to use it against us. Against that, we have to make our provisions, to make certain that sensible men have done every possible thing they can to protect themselves."

## Presbyterians Plan Pre-Easter Services

A Pre-Easter meeting will begin at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, with the general theme "The Cross and the Crown."

Services will include the morning and the vesper services Sunday and night services every night next week from Monday through Friday at 7:30.

Monday night "The Rejected Cornerstone," Tuesday night "The Voice Which Broke in Tears," Wednesday night "Thirty Pieces of Silver," Friday night "I, Miles, Expedi Crucem."

A Candlelight Communion Service will be held Thursday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

## Sees Reduction in Personal Exemptions

By JOE HALL

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sen. Kerr (D-Ka.) said today his guess is that the Senate will approve a move he co-sponsors to cut income taxes by increasing personal exemptions of each taxpayer and dependent.

He said in an interview he hopes this action will be taken in the Senate Finance Committee but that, if it is not done there, he believes success will come on the Senate floor.

The Finance committee on which the Oklahoma serves, opens hearings today on a big tax revision bill to which Democrats hope to attach the income tax reduction.

The Eisenhower administration strongly supports the revision bill, which would make assorted tax cuts totaling \$1,400,000 to business and individuals in its first year of operation. Just as strongly it opposes any new income tax slash.

Senate Republican leaders voice confidence they can beat the income tax cut as things stand now, citing indications that the business downturn is leveling off.

Democratic sponsors say it is too early to tell about the economic situation.

## NATO Lashes Action of France's Juin

By EDWARD M. KORRY

PARIS (UP) — The 14-nation North Atlantic Treaty Council, in an unprecedented rebuke to a high officer, criticized Marshal Alphonse Juin of France today for statements "contrary to the explicit and repeated declarations of policy."

The NATO council issued a brief communique disclosing its censure of the outspoken French government and NATO policies with his recent attacks on plans for an European defense community.

"The North Atlantic Council expresses its profound regret at the public statements made by the commander-in-chief, central Europe, on 27 March 1954 and subsequently reiterated," the communique.

"These statements are contrary to the explicit and repeated declarations of policy issued by the council under whose authority all NATO commanders hold their appointments."

NATO said the resolution was adopted yesterday and "has been communicated to the commander-in-chief, central Europe (Juin) through the proper channels this morning."

## Can Understand Many Strange Things About People But Not a Follower of Horse Racing

NEW YORK (UP) — Bird watchers I can understand. And flagpole sitters, weight lifters and people who play croquet or the tuba.

The lady who liked pancakes so well she kept her closets full of them will find no critic in me. I will even continue to shake hands on sight with a martini drinker, so long as he doesn't become a chronic wife beater.

Tolerance should ever be our byword in a world in which we all have our built-in foibles, and we should realize that if we all wanted the same thing — say money, to cite a crass example — why, there wouldn't be enough to go around.

But I must confess on inability to appreciate horse players. The mere act of living today seems to me to require such interesting but desperate gambles that I am puzzled by a man who will steadily adventure his dough on horses he hasn't even met socially.

Last Saturday some 40,000 people went out to the dog track.

## Truman Says U. S.-British Atom Pact Still in Force; Churchill Faces Bitter Political Storm

By CLARENCE JOHNSON

KANSAS CITY (UP) — Former president Harry S. Truman said today the Anglo-American wartime atomic agreement still is in effect.

The agreement was disclosed publicly yesterday for the first time by Prime Minister Churchill in a House of Commons debate. As a result he was involved today in one of the bitterest political storms of his career.

James Hagerly, White House Press Secretary, said last night the agreement was not in effect at the present time.

Today, however, Truman, in an interview, said it was.

The former President said, however, the agreement did not apply to the hydrogen bomb which was developed later.

Asked whether such an agreement had not been terminated by the McMahon Act, which forbids sharing of U. S. atomic secrets with foreign governments, the former President said the act did not cover the British-American agreement.

"We weren't sharing our secrets with the British," Truman explained. They were sharing their's with us."

By PHILIP CLARKE

LONDON (UP) — Winston Churchill today faced one of the bitterest political storms of his long career triggered by the aging Prime Minister himself in an angry House of Commons debate on the hydrogen bomb.

The pro-labor and left wing press accused Churchill of stooping to partisan politics yesterday in dealing with H-bomb problems and renewed demands for his resignation.

Even some conservative newspapers expressed regret over his common speech.

Churchill threw the House into uproar by disclosing a secret wartime atomic agreement between Britain and the United States, and then blaming the former Labor government of Clement Attlee for letting it lapse. Attlee angrily denied it. That started the tempest.

Laborites hurled their bitterest ever abuse on the Prime Minister chanting "resign" and "get out."

## College Will Transport Students Free

Texarkana Junior College will run a bus to and from Hope next year if as many as five students from this area are enrolled.

This transportation will be furnished free of charge, the only expense being a tuition fee of \$33 per semester which includes the cost of books and supplies. It is possible to get two years of college work for only \$212. Texarkana College has the highest academic rating in the southwest and the college credit acquired there is accepted in any four year college in Arkansas and Texas at full value.

Any student in high school this year and who would be interested in this proposition, contact Horace Hubbard at Hope High School, Elmer Brown, County supervisor, or the Superintendent of your school.

## Revival Meeting in Progress

A revival meeting is in progress at the Garrett Memorial Mission Point in charge of the Rev. Mr. Story and the Rev. Bobby Joe Wright. Services begin at 7:30 each night and the public is invited.

## Mena Has \$50,000 Plant Fire Loss

MENA (UP) — Fire destroyed the Badgett Manufacturing Co., here this morning. Loss at the plant — which made ammunition boxes — was estimated at \$50,000.

The fire started about 3:30 this morning. Four hours later, the fire still was smoldering.

The plant was owned by B. T. Rays. It employed about 150 persons.

Cause of the fire was not known immediately.

## Du Pont Family Dean Dies at Age of 84

WILMINGTON, Del. (UP) — Pierre Samuel du Pont, dean of the famed chemical family and a major figure in the development of two of the world's largest industries, died last night. He was 84.

Du Pont, who took an active part in the Du Pont empire even after his announced retirement in 1940, was stricken with a severe abdominal pain shortly after dinner at Longwood, his estate at nearby Kennett Square, Pa.

Rushed to the Wilmington Memorial Hospital, Du Pont died of what physicians described as an aortic aneurysm (rupture of a main blood vessel).

A younger brother, Irene, and his sister, Mrs. R. M. Carpenter, were at his bedside. They are Du Pont's only immediate survivors.

Du Pont, who shunned publicity and seldom made public appearances, was a former president and board chairman of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. He also served as president of General Motors Corp. for three years.

Pierre was the great great grandson and namesake of a political refugee who fled to America from France in 1799. His father, Lamont du Pont, was a noted inventor and authority on explosives who founded one of the nation's first dynamite plants, the Repauno Chemical Co. near Gibbstown, N. J. He was killed by an explosion of nitroglycerin when Pierre was 14. Pierre then took over the leadership of the family as the eldest of 11 children.

A noted philanthropist who once built an \$800,000 hospital in memory of his chauffeur, Du Pont was a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Shortly after his graduation in 1890 he collaborated with a cousin in developing the first successful Du Pont smokeless powder.

By the century-old powder company was about to pass into outside hands in 1902, Pierre du Pont and two cousins purchased the firm and organized the present corporation.

Under Pierre du Pont the company expanded from powder into a varied field of chemical products. It developed nylon, which revolutionized women's hosiery, cellophane and some 1,000 other products. Du Pont's sales exceeded a billion dollars a year.

Du Pont lived alone with servants at his Longwood estate after the death of his wife, the former Alice Belin of Scranton, Pa., in 1944. They had no children.

Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

## District Band Festival Here Friday

Region Four Band festival of the Arkansas School Bands and Orchestra Association will be held at Hope High School Friday, April 9. It was announced today by Director G. T. Cannon.

There will be 17 bands representing the following towns and cities: Nashville, Lewisville, Texarkana, Prescott, DeQueen, Hot Springs, Magnolia, Ashdown, Lakeside, Stephens and Hope.

Already 945 students have registered for the event which starts at 8:30 a. m. and continues until 4:30 p. m. Bands will be playing all day in the High School auditorium and some 180 ensembles and solos will compete during the day.

There is no admission charge and the public is invited. At 7:30 p. m. there will be a marching festival in Hammon Stadium and for this event a small admission of 25 and 50 cents will be charged. No maximum limit will be charged. Judges for the event have been secured from Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas. The Band Auxiliary will be in charge of the event.

## Warning to China About Intervening

By PAUL SOUTHWICK

WASHINGTON (UP) — Officials said today the United States is trying to organize an international warning to Red China against intervention in the Indochinese war.

The warning, they said, would parallel that addressed by 16 powers to China after the Korean truce. That warning stated that renewed aggression in Korea would be promptly resisted — possibly with blows against the Chinese mainland.

Paris and London reports said the United States wants Britain, France, Australia, and New Zealand to join in the new warning. It would be issued if it was understood, before the April 23 Geneva conference on the Far East.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles called March 20 for "united action" against the Chinese Reds if they commit aggression in Indochina.

Yesterday he told the House Foreign Affairs Committee: China already has come "awfully close" to the kind of intervention in Indochina that might kick off retaliation under the "united action" policy.

Today the secretary laid aside less pressing labors in order to give his full time to what a State Department spokesman called a "heavy" work schedule.

That schedule apparently involved efforts to build up the united action policy with the nations most closely concerned.

Meanwhile, Rep. Albert P. Morano (R-Conn.) urged that the United States refuse to attend the Geneva conference "until it has been clearly established that Red China is not engaged in aggression in Indochina."

Morano was one of the House committee members who heard Dulles say yesterday that China is "coming awfully close" to such aggression.

"It does not make sense for us to sit down and negotiate a settlement of past aggressions in Korea with representatives of Communist China if they are currently engaged in further aggression in Indochina," Morano said.

He made this statement, Morano said, because of concern over what Dulles told the committee yesterday. Other committee members expressed similar concern.

## 3 Electrocuted on Paragould Bridge Job

PARAGOULD (UP) — Three men working on a county bridge project were electrocuted near here yesterday when a truck carrying a pile driver touched a power cable.

Chief Deputy Sheriff (Bill) Hyde said the truck driver, C. H. Graftonreed, 50, was moving the vehicle across the bridge when the pile driver hit a high tension cable carrying 7,620 volts.

He said worker Otis Sims, 53, who was standing near by, shouted at Graftonreed that he had hit the line. When the truck driver stepped the ground, his body grounded the truck and was electrocuted.

Sims ran to pull him away and he too was killed.

Hyde said the job foreman, Willie Cox, 48, who was standing on the bridge, also dashed over to help and was electrocuted.

"All three of them were piled up together," Hyde said.

The men were from Greene County and were employed on the county bridge gang.

Sims and Cox had been employed by the county about 15 months and Graftonreed about six months.

Cox is survived by his widow, Mrs. Flossie Cox and two daughters, Mrs. Eill Dial of near Paragould and another at Springfield, Mo. Two sisters, Mrs. Amy Greenway of Paragould and Mrs. Lessie Pack of St. Louis and four brothers, including Louis Cox of North Little Rock and Jeff Cox of Benton, Ark.

Graftonreed is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lydia Graftonreed two married daughters in St. Louis and two sons, Orban and Louie of the home.

Sims is survived by his widow, Mrs. Eva Lou Sims and several children whose names were not immediately available.

# Sears Withdraws From McCarthy-Army Case Following Controversy

## Draft Dodger to Be Sentenced

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — Federal Judge Harry J. Lemley says that within a few days he will sentence Bill Edgar Passmore, 23, of Greenbrier for willful failure to report for induction into the armed services.

A federal jury here yesterday found Passmore guilty of the charge.

Passmore was ordered to report for induction in September, 1953, but refused to do so on religious grounds. Assistant District Attorney G. Tom Elsicle testified yesterday.

Passmore, a member of the Church of God, said his failure to report for military duty was neither willful nor illegal because of his religious convictions.

## Russians Seize Two Americans But Release

BERLIN (UP) — Twenty Soviet soldiers "invaded" the U. S. zone of West Germany in daylight yesterday, kidnapped two American soldiers and their jeep and held them overnight before releasing them.

American officials said today.

The Americans were held for nearly 24 hours.

Two West German border police who were seized when they went to the scene to investigate were released last night after long hours of questioning.

Army officers at Heidelberg said the two Americans were 200 yards inside the American zone when they were captured.

"Other soldiers who escaped apprehension reported the seizure was made by about 20 Soviet soldiers and one officer," the headquarters announcement said. "No shots were fired and no one was injured."

## Mercury and Lincoln Agency to Open Here

Ray Turner and Jim James have acquired the Lincoln and Mercury dealership for Hope and surrounding territory, it was announced today.

The Hope men, owners of the Trading Post, said they would continue operating the used car establishment in connection with the Lincoln-Mercury dealership.

Negotiations are now underway for a new building to be located at Taylor's Center on Third and Laurel Streets. The building will be constructed by Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Y. C. Coleman, well known Hope automobile man, will operate the shop and parts department of the new establishment.

The new firm will be in its new location in from six to eight weeks. However, automobiles can be delivered now, the owners announced.

## All Around the Town

By The Star Staff

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Thursday, April 8, a clinic for crippled children will be held in the Miller County health office in the Texarkana courthouse.

## Ruling Means Loss in State Revenue

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — The U. S. Supreme Court's ruling yesterday on Maryland's use tax may result in a revenue loss of about one million dollars yearly in Arkansas.

Maryland and Arkansas have similar laws called for a two per cent use tax levied on goods purchased out of the state. But the nation's high court ruled that the state of Maryland cannot make out of state dealers liable for collection of a two per cent tax on goods retailed to Maryland customers.

That action conceivably could affect Arkansas. Assistant Arkansas Revenue Commissioner Ed McLees said yesterday that the decision in the Maryland case will be studied before Arkansas' course of action can be determined.

## U. S. Opens Trial of Frank Costello

NEW YORK (UP) — First Prosecution witnesses were on top to take the witness stand today at the trial of gambler Frank Costello on income tax evasion charges.

A jury of seven men and five women with three alternates was chosen yesterday before Federal Judge John F. X. McGowan.

The 62-year-old Costello, charged with evasion of \$73,437 in income taxes for the years 1940 through 1949, was nervous as the trial started. If convicted, he could rack up to five years in prison and a \$10,000 fine on each of four counts.

Chief Asst. U. S. Atty. Lloyd F. McMahon challenged 15 even prospective jurors after they revealed past or present income tax difficulties with the Treasury Department.

One prospective juror was excused after he admitted prejudice as a result of having seen television the 1951 Kefauver Committee hearings at which Costello was a witness.

Costello, who was convicted of contempt of the committee, was released last November after serving 14 months of an 18-month sentence at the Federal Correctional Institution at Milan, Mich.

## Blevins PTA to Meet Thursday

Blevins PTA will meet in the school auditorium at 7:30 Thursday night at which time a safety program will be held along with a film shown by a member of the Arkansas State Police. The group's executive board will meet at 7 p. m.

## Small Damage in Accident Here

A city-owned truck driven by James L. Key and an auto driven by Willie Davis of Washington collided on South Hazel Street. Very little damage resulting, investigating police reported.

## Second Lay Service Is Wednesday

The second in the series of Lay Services, will be held in the First Baptist Church tomorrow, Wednesday, April 7. The service is being started promptly at 10 a. m. and ending promptly at 11:30 a. m.

Last week's service was well attended, high praise was given, and 200 in attendance and many compliments were voiced about the entire program.

Tomorrow's schedule calls Luther Holloman of the organ, Earl Bailey directing the congregational singing. The Rev. Pendleton, Pastor of the Christian Church will be the sliding minister. Hervey Holm of the First Baptist Church will be the Lay-speaker, and Claude Jerry of the First Methodist Church will lead in prayer.

The public is cordially invited to attend these noonday Lay Services, which will continue Wednesday through April 14. It is not necessary that you are for this occasion, but if you are, dress for work.

And the Harry House listed in this week's court news is not the Rev. Harry House of Hope Route Four.

Frances Thrasher of Prescott and Horace Hubbard of Hope have registered for the first annual Arkansas A&M College regional council conference scheduled Friday and Saturday.

Forrest L. Hall has filed for alderman post of Ward Two against John Green who announced he would be running for the position.

## Group Accepts in Unanimous 6 to 0 Vote

WASHINGTON (UP) — Samuel J. Seneca, Boston lawyer, withdrew today as the special counsel to a Senate investigation of the McCarthy-Army row.

With his impartiality under question, Seneca offered his resignation and the Senate investigation committee accepted it by a unanimous 6-0 vote.

Seneca, 58-year-old past president of the Massachusetts Bar Association, had been chosen for the job only last week.

At that time, public hearings on the charges, exchanged by McCarthy (R-Wis.) and Army officials, were tentatively set to begin next Monday.

The resignation of Seneca, out any prospect that the hearing can begin then as the subcommittee is back again looking for a special counsel.

Seneca gave his resignation a closed door. Stepping out of the committee, which lasted for 2 hours and 15 minutes.

After the session, Seneca told reporters and read a statement: "I am completely satisfied with my own mind," Seneca said. "I am thoroughly competent to conduct the pending inquiry, objectively, impartially, and in full faith to the law."

But he added, "I have decided to resign because I believe that the hearing should not be held."

Seneca said he was leaving the view of the discussion and controversy which followed by resigning as counsel and of the allegations which have been made, none of which are without foundation.

He added: "I do so only because I believe the hearing to be of the highest importance and would not want my credibility of the proceedings to be handicapped from the very onset by any alleged word or commitment that I might have uttered in the past."

"The test is not whether I am biased. It is whether I am believed to be unbiased."

Seneca was unanimously selected for the post of special counsel last week. But after the appointment it developed that Boston newspapers had quoted him in attacking McCarthy's "greatness" in driving Communists from government.

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# Johnson Not Making Draft Seriously

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edwin Johnson (D-Colo.) said today he was not making a serious draft of the Democratic nomination for president in Colorado.

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# Reds Calling S. Hand Indochina

JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Red Chinese gradually calling the Eisenhower administration's hand in Indochina. Now it's a question of whether they will go before the administration puts up or backs down.

State Dept. Dulles has been talking for the administration about what it would do if the Chinese intervened in Indochina to help the Communist-led North Vietnamese against the French and Americans.

Dulles talked of it impressively but so vaguely that congressional committees, after a question of whether the administration has in mind a policy of "appeasement" or "containment," are now guessing at the question: Does Dulles have a policy ready to apply if the Chinese comes in or is he playing for time?

In a speech in St. Louis last week and again in a New York speech on March 29, he warned the Chinese against sending their troops into Indochina, but he was talking in "army" into Indochina.

What happened, he said, "the Communist regime should be that such a second aggression after Korea would not occur but have consequences which would not be confined to Indochina."

In the same March 29 speech, he revealed the Red Chinese have sent in 2,000 men to help Hanoi, whose leader, Ho Chi Minh, is a Moscow-trained Russian.

Yesterday Dulles told the House Foreign Affairs Committee Red Chinese were opening anti-aircraft fire on the Vietnamese and shooting down French planes around Dien Bien Phu, where the French are fighting a do-or-die stand.

Dulles about his warning to the Chinese about intervening in Indochina. Dulles noted he had said the Chinese they should not send an army.

In a war like the one in China, a few thousand technicians, supplied at the right place and time, might be enough to keep them without need for a large Chinese army.

In short, confronts Dulles the administration with the critical question of the Indochina war. Where does Dulles stand on how much help the Chinese can give the Vietnamese before this country backs up?

In a New York speech Jan. 12, he said this country would try to keep any Communist aggression from spreading to the "openness" to the Chinese and instantly.

March 29 and again yesterday, the House committee, after the need for "United Nations" action, was still asking for a specific plan for keeping Red Chinese from spreading to the Chinese in Indochina.

MARIANNA HONORED

LANGSTON (AP) — A 32-year-old flour salesman, announced today that he will run next summer for sheriff of Lee County — a job his father held for 18 years.

Langston's mother now is sheriff. She was appointed to the post by Gov. Cherry after her husband died three weeks ago.

State Rep. Eugene Hampton of Marianna and Coroner F. C. Flower, a funeral director here, also have announced for the sheriff's job.

U of A Med School Gets a Grant

NEW YORK (AP) — The University of Arkansas Medical School at Little Rock received \$10,000 from the American Cancer Society for research work last year.

Figures released yesterday showed that of a total \$10,000 raised by the society last year, \$7,000 was given to the medical school.

# MARKETS

BY LOUIS LIVESTOCK

**NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, III.**

(H) — Hogs 9,000 fairly active weights 180 lb up unevenly 15-25 lower than yesterday's average light weights and sows mostly unchanged spots 25 lower bulk choice 180-240 lb 27.25-35 27.50 mostly freely paid single price several hundred head choice No. 1 and 2 or 3 form lots averaging below 220 lb 27.50 240-270 lb 28.50 27.25 few to 27.50 240-270 lb 27.50-725 few to 750 heavier weights scarce 150-170 lb mostly 7.00-7.50 down to 26.75 sows 400 lb down 24.75-25.25 few to 25.00 heavier sows 23.75-24.50 few 24.75 down 170-12100

Cattle 4,300 calves 1,400 opening moderately active and generally steady on steers and heifers good shipper demand in evidence one load low and average prime medium weight steers 2600 few high good and choice loads and lots 21.00-23.00 cows fairly active and steady utility and commercial cows 11.00-13.50 canners and cutters 9.00-11.50 bulls steady utility and commercial 13.00-14.50 cutters 11.00-12.50 weaners 100 higher good and choice 21.00-26.00, few prime 28.00 commercial and low good weaners 15.00-20.00

Sheep 400 old crop woolled lambs steady to 25 higher new season top on woolled lambs lead choice to prime 27.00 scattered small lots good and choice kinds 25.00-26.50 few sales utility and good 24.00-25.00 aged sheep firm woolled slaughter ewes 500-8.00 shorn ewes upward to 7.00.

## NEW ORK STOCKS

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market advanced in a hesitant manner today and climbed back up to peak levels of the year.

For the past two sessions the market has been backing down from the 1954 high established Thursday.

Prices were up around a point at the best. Losses extended into the major fractions. Radio-Television issues were higher and in demand, and higher on balance were the steels, motors, rubbers, utilities, coppers, and railroads.

## POULTRY AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO (AP) — Live poultry barely steady receipts 1,111 coops f.o.b. paying prices unchanged heavy hens 26-29 light hens 18-19 fryers or broilers 23-27 old roosters 16-18 bronze hen turkeys 39.

Butter steady receipts 1,200,000 wholesale buying prices unchanged 93 score AA to 92 A 57 90 B 56.5 89 C 55 cars 90 B 57 80 C 55.5.

Eggs fully steady receipts 30,494 wholesale buying price unchanged to 2 cents higher U. S. large 34-37.5 U. S. mediums 33.5 U. S. standards 31 current receipts 30 checks and dirties 28.5.

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Batesville-Floral area: Market about steady. Supplies fully adequate for the generally fair demand. A few buyers off the market. Trading moderately active. Few off quality birds sold at 22 cents. Prices at the farm up to 11 a. m. today, broilers or fryers 2 1/4-3 pounds, 24-24 1/2 cents mostly 24 cents.

## NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures were mostly higher in slow trading today, dominated by switching operations from nearby May to later months in the old crop situation improvement in export business was offset to some extent by reports of further curtailment of production by mills producing sheetings. No new crop months firmed.

Late afternoon prices were 30 cents a bale higher to 5 cents lower than the previous close. May 84.30, July 84.48 and Oct. 84.13.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Cash wheat: None Corn: No. 2 yellow 1.57-57 1/4, No. 3 1.56-56 1/4, No. 4 1.54 1/4, No. 5 1.52 1/4, sample grade 1.49 —. Oats: No. 1 heavy white 80-80 No. 3 77 1/2 Soybeans: None.

Barley nominal: Maltling 1.20-63 feed 92-114. Field seed per 100 lb nominal: White clover 1050-11.00 red top 57.00-58.00 alsike 17.50-18.50 timothy 12.50-13.50 red clover 2700-2800.

## Ex-Sheriff's Son Seeks Office

MARIANNA (AP) — S. C. Langston Jr., a 32-year-old flour salesman, announced today that he will run next summer for sheriff of Lee County — a job his father held for 18 years.

Langston's mother now is sheriff. She was appointed to the post by Gov. Cherry after her husband died three weeks ago.

State Rep. Eugene Hampton of Marianna and Coroner F. C. Flower, a funeral director here, also have announced for the sheriff's job.

## U of A Med School Gets a Grant

NEW YORK (AP) — The University of Arkansas Medical School at Little Rock received \$10,000 from the American Cancer Society for research work last year.

Figures released yesterday showed that of a total \$10,000 raised by the society last year, \$7,000 was given to the medical school.

# U. S. Planes Ready to Hit Red Rebels

HANOI, Indochina, (UP) — Most of 25 American B-26 light bombers to be turned over to the French have arrived in Indochina and will be thrown into the battle of Dien Bien Phu in record time, military authorities said today.

Officials also said the vanguard of the 25 B-26 light bombers promised the French only two weeks ago started landing at airports around Hanoi Sunday. Most of the rest have now arrived, it was announced.

The United States promised France the additional light bombers after President Eisenhower and other top officials met with Gen. Paul Ely, French chief of staff,

in Washington March 22. About 50 B-26's had been contributed by the United States earlier in the year.

The B-26 Martin Marauders were ferried from Japan by American crews. But French pilots and crews will replace them for the raids under way against 20,000 Communist reinforcements rushing south to the besieged French fortress where military circles described the situation as "uneasy."

Communist artillery shelled Dien Bien Phu with renewed intensity during the day in a counter-effort to prevent the landing of French reinforcements at the air strips, but the badly mauled Reds launched no heavy attacks during the night.

The reinforcements have been marching south from the Red China border for two days from two Communist troop centers, or two full divisions since he besieging army has lost 22,000 men or two full divisions since he began his siege on March 13.

# Mercury Soars Over Arkansas

By The Associated Press

Temperatures climbed to a high of 89 in Arkansas yesterday as the state experienced its first week of real spring weather.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said a warm air mass moved into the state Saturday and was expected to send temperatures into the mid and high 80s for the past several days.

The bureau, in its five-day forecast, said the high temperatures would continue for the rest of the week.

Scattered thundershowers also were predicted.

Rain fell in scattered parts of the state during the 24-hour period ending at 6:30 a. m. today. Some hail was reported near Augusta yesterday.

Camden posted yesterday's high mercury reading. Other high tem-

peratures reported yesterday included 88 at Arkadelphia and Dardanelle 87 at Flippin and 86 at Texarkana, Stuttgart, El Dorado, Little Rock, Ozark and Newport.

# Tradition Hard for Ike to Meet

By BEN PHLEGAR

Associated Press Sports Writer

President Eisenhower is having a tough time with the traditional presidential job of throwing out the first pitch of the baseball season.

Last year he begged off to play golf only to wind up pitching anyway when the Washington opener was delayed by rain until late in the first week of the season.

This year he agreed to make the first pitch April 13. But it will be the first pitch only in Washington.

Weather permitting, the rest of the major league teams will be off and running before then.

Instead of scheduling a separate

# Father of Newsman Dies in Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — G. V. Reynolds, 78-year-old father of newspaper publisher Don Reynolds, died here last night after a long illness.

The elder Reynolds formerly owned and operated the Marquette hotel here. His son publishes newspapers in Fort Smith, Ark., Okmulgee and Bartlesville, Okla., and Las Vegas, Nev.

The first synthetic dye — mauve — was discovered in 1856.

opener in the nation's capital a day ahead of the rest the majors this season, designed a full round of activity for the first day. And in Washington the game with the New York Yankees won't start until 3 p. m. — a full 30 minutes later than any of the other seven games.



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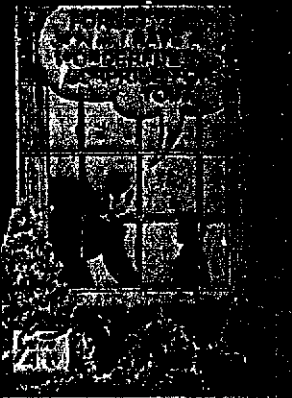
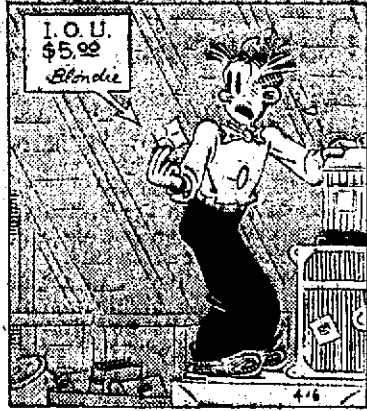






**By Chick Young**

**OZARK IRK**



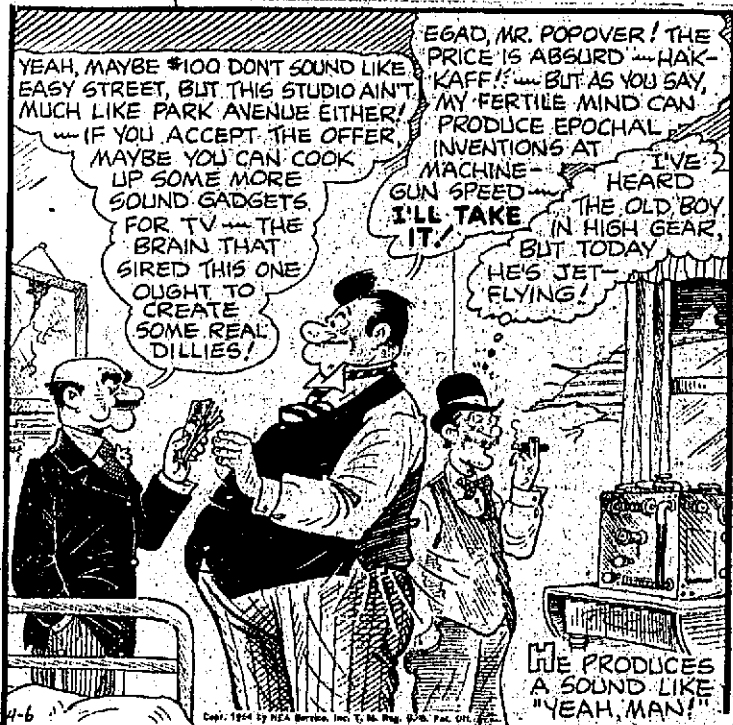
### Answer to Previous Puzzle

Figure 1 shows a 12x12 grid divided into four 6x6 quadrants. The top-left quadrant contains numbers 1-16, the top-right 17-24, the bottom-left 25-32, and the bottom-right 33-40. Some cells are shaded with diagonal lines, forming a pattern across the grid.

**By J. R. Williams**



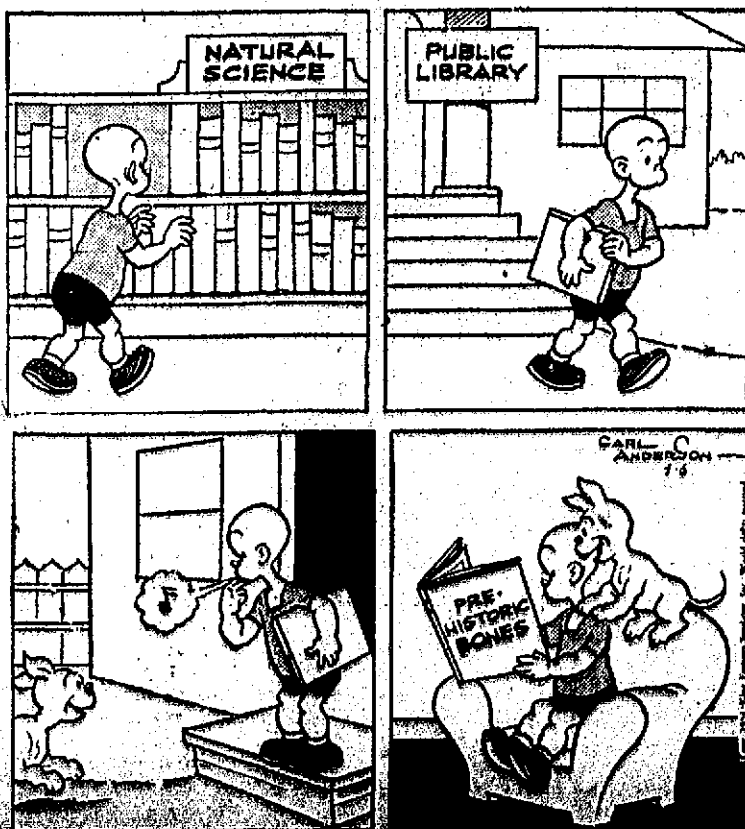
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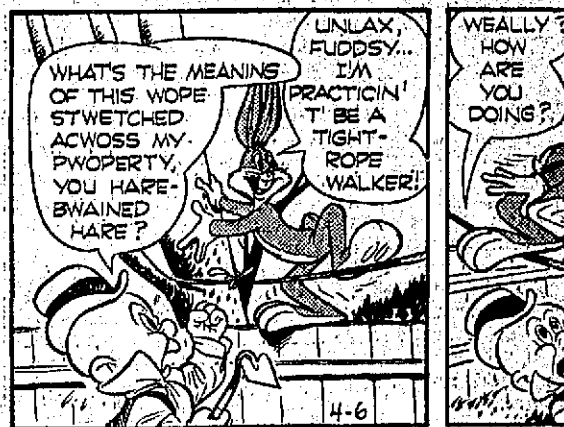
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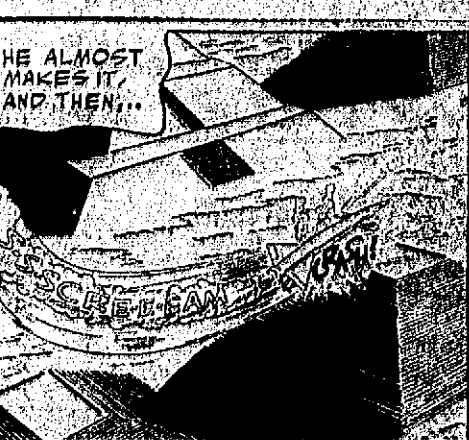
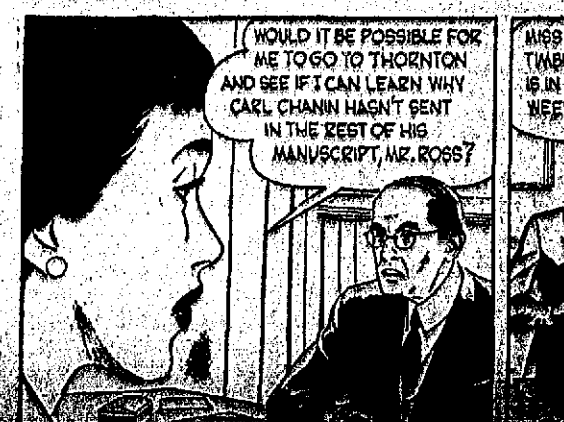
**Y. T. HUNG**



**By Russ Winterbotham**



## Discussion



**By Dick Turner**



"Tell me, Herkimer, what's meant by the expression, 'behind the eight-ball'?"

**By Galbraith**



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# PRESCOTT NEWS

**Wednesday April 7**  
The choir of the Presbyterian Church will practice on Wednesday evening at 8:30. The choir will present a sacred concert at the evening service on April 11th.

**Thursday April 8**  
The 1950 Canasta Club will meet on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. D. Kinney.

**Presbyterians Have Supper**  
Members of the Presbyterian Church and their friends enjoyed a pot luck supper on Wednesday evening in the fellowship rooms of the church.

The invocation was given by Rev. W. G. Bensberg.

Following the supper Rev. Bensberg introduced Jerry Newbold, superintendent of the Presbyterian Children's Home in Monticello.

Mr. Newbold showed colored films of the children, the farm, home and its surroundings giving interesting remarks on each. He stated that the home owned 1009 acres and that its cattle won 13 first prizes at the State Show.

The meeting closed with prayer by T. E. Logan.

**Engagement of Sue Peachey Announced**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peachey announce the engagement of their daughter, Ellen Sue, to Mr. William Milton Wiseman, son of Mrs. Earl Broyles of Kwatsi Bay British Columbia and the late Wilson Wiseman of Henrietta, Texas.

Miss Peachey is a graduate of Southern State College at Magnolia. Mr. Wiseman received his theological degree from Texas Technological College at Lubbock and his degree in engineering from the University of Oklahoma, Norman. He is now with Sinclair Oil Company, Houston.

The wedding will be an event of May 8th, in the First Methodist Church of Prescott.

**Mrs. O. J. Stephenson left Thursday** for Conway where she has purchased a home. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. William Morrow and son of Dallas who are her guests.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bryson Womack of** Mrs. Bill Cooper \$1, Will Davis 50c, Coy Cummings \$1, J. L. Eley \$1, Miss Claudia Roberts 25c, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peters \$1, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson \$1, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turan Davis 50c, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Roberts \$1, Alene Daniel 50c. Total \$3,850.47.

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Willisville were Thursday visitors in Prescott.

Miss Ida Rae Hamilton has returned to Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia after having been called here due to the illness and death of her father, Mr. Sammie Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lee had as their Thursday overnight guests, Mr. George Cummings of Glade-water, Oklahoma and Mr. Coy Cummings of DeQueen.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dewoody and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hale were the Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dewoody in Gurdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Leverett and Amelia of Hope were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Young of Reader were Saturday visitors in Prescott.

Pvt. Dale Ward, who has been visiting Mrs. Ward and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Watson Ward, has gone to his new assignment at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Durham have returned from El Dorado where they have been the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hindman and Mrs. Julius Tombs of Gurdon visited in Prescott Friday.

Miss Virginia Johnson has returned to Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McBride are at home in the former home of Mrs. Midge Burgess that they have purchased.

Donald Webb has resumed his studies at Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Webb.

**Texarkana Workers Return to Jobs**  
TEXARKANA (AP) — More than 200 workers in five Arkansas cities and Memphis, Tenn., headed back to work today after a 14-day strike against Southwestern Transportation Co.

Union and company officials "reached an amicable agreement" here yesterday, said J. E. Scheu vice president of the company.

Members of the AFL Teamsters Union in Memphis, LITTLE ROCK, Jonesboro, Blytheville, Pine Bluff and Camden walked out in protest of the company's firing of a union truck driver. The company contended the driver was dismissed only after he was involved in a series of highway accidents.

Scheu said the labor grievance was settled during a conference on a new contract. He said both sides also had agreed on a new contract. Scheu didn't disclose terms of the new pact. Union and company officials had been conferring here since Friday on a new contract to replace the old one which expired April 1.

A subsidiary of the Cotton Belt Railroad, Southwestern operates in Tennessee, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas.

Union spokesman could not be reached for comment.

**The Negro Community**  
By Helen Turner  
Phone 7-5820  
Or bring items to Miss Turner at Hicks Funeral Home

The Antioch H. D. Club met at the home of Mrs. Dottie Colbert on Monday, March 29, with the vice president, Mrs. Julia Williams presiding.

Opening song was led by Mrs. Williams. Scripture reading Psalms 23rd Chapter. Roll was called. The ladies are growing new vegetables. Demonstration was given on quick bread by the Demonstration agent, Mrs. F. Smith.

Five ladies took part in the baking, after which the bread was displayed and judged Mrs. Cleo Johnson won the prize in baking. A cook book was presented to her at the close of the meeting. A slide film was shown on food and nutrition. Mrs. Dottie Colbert, president and Edna Zakery, secretary.

**Toscanini Retires as Conductor**  
By LARRY PINKHAM  
NEW YORK (UP) — Arturo Toscanini, whose shy genius as a conductor made him a living legend, has given his last music to the world.

At 87, the white-haired son of an Italian tailor left a Carnegie Hall podium in last night never to return. As he walked quietly away, he left behind him a lifetime of musical accomplishment that few can challenge.

Always shy when it came to personal publicity, the aged "maestro" kept his retirement a secret until after the close of the weekly concert of the National

**Friendship club will meet Wednesday night, April 7** at the home of Mrs. Nathaniel Deloney. All members are asked to be present. Time 7:30 p. m.

Friends of Joe Crockett will regret to know that he is ill at his home on Route 4.

Miss Willie Marie Mack, a native of Hope was killed instantly in a car wreck enroute to Nevada. Her sister, Miss Hannah Mack who accompanied her was injured. They resided in Richmond, Calif., 741 So. 13th St. Apt. 2-C.

Revival will begin at Beebe Memorial CME Church Friday night, April 9. The Rev. J. C. Collins of Kansas City, Mo., will do the preaching. The public is invited.

Mrs. Florida Cole of Niagara Falls, N. Y. has been called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Ollie Wylie who is ill at her home.

Pvt. Burnell Stuart, son of Mrs. Verga Stuart has been promoted to Pfc. He is now stationed in Korea.

**Globetrotter Kellogg Critically Injured**  
PINE BLUFF (AP) — Junius Kellogg, 6 foot 8 member of the Harlem Globetrotters B team lay near death today after suffering a severed spinal column and other injuries in a highway accident near here.

Kellogg, former Manhattan College basketball star, was among five Negro professional basketball players injured when their car blew a tire and overturned Friday night 16 miles north of Pine Bluff.

The attending physician said Kellogg, of Portsmouth, Va., is paralyzed except for slight movement in one arm. The doctor said he held little hope for his recovery.

Boyd Bule, also a member of the touring Globetrotters' second team, is hospitalized with a hip injury but his condition is good.

Al Rocco, casting Company symphony orchestra, which he had directed for 17 years.

# Mitchum Chooses to Be in Picture

CANNES, France (AP) — Movie actor Robert Mitchum said today it was either be photographed with a buxom semi-nude British actress or jump into the Mediterranean Sea. He didn't jump.

"I had my back to the sea," the handsome Hollywood star told newsmen. "There was no place for me to go but in the water."

Mitchum played it suave and debonair as he shrugged off his experience last Tuesday at a picnic held in connection with the annual Cannes film festival.

"If a girl wants to have her picture made like that," he commented, "it's none of my affair."

The star of the impromptu production was red-headed Simone Silva, a flashing-eyed, 25-year-old girl whose movie experience thus far has been mainly confined to supporting roles in British films.

Miss Silva — wearing a grass skirt and a scarf 'tied — was posing for pictures on rocks near the sea during the picnic. Mitchum was called over to pose with her.

"The photographers got down on their knees to plead with me to take the top off she told newsmen in London last night.

"As long as sex is box office I keep my figure, I'm not to be the sexiest thing on two legs. So I took off the scarf."

In her mad scramble that followed, Miss Silva said, three photographers fell into the Mediterranean, a fourth broke his ankle and a fifth suffered a fractured elbow.

Miss Silva left Cannes a day or two after the picnic. There were rumors — promptly denied by the actress when she arrived in London — that the festival officials had asked her to take her 37-inch bust elsewhere.

**Nothing New Expected From A-Ban Talks**  
BY JAMES MARLOW  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Now, in the wake of the American hydrogen bomb tests in the Pacific the Big Four will meet again in the United Nations to talk about banning atom bombs and reducing armaments.

Since they've been unable to get to first base with this problem in eight years it would be astonishing if they could suddenly do so now. The United States, Russia, Britain and France have been considering it in the U. N. since 1946.

They have even more reason now for finding a solution than they did in 1946: they're better able to destroy one another and civilization too. But by the same token agreeing now is likely to be harder than ever: they have far more men, money, time and materials invested in preparing for war if it comes.

In 1946 the United States had the atom bomb. Russia didn't. She was working on it. At the same time, while the United States and its European allies had stripped their armed forces to the bone, Russia retained a huge army capable of overrunning Europe.

Fear of the American bomb was probably the main reason Russia didn't gobble Europe. But in the intervening years, while the big powers and the U. N. General Assembly considered atomic control plans that got nowhere, these things happened:

1. Russia developed not only the atom but the hydrogen weapon as well. The United States while outstripping Russia in the number of atom bombs it could manufacture, made such awesome progress in hydrogen development that its two explosions in March sent a shudder around the earth.

2. From a state of almost tragic weakness eight years ago tragic United States and its Western friends have rearmmed, set up their North Atlantic Treaty Organization as a mutual aid society against Russian attack in the West and the United States has ringed Russia with air bases.

3. But while the West built up its nukes at home, it suffered an awful loss in Asia without a chance to fire a shot. The Chinese Communists ran Nationalist Chiang Kai-shek, the American Ally, off the continent and took over China.

Thus, while Russia raced to match. Because it couldn't its rearmament of new weapons, it acquired in its Chinese allies an almost endless supply of manpower which the West could never hope to match. Because it couldn't, its reliance had almost endless supply of manpower which the West could never hope of match. Because it couldn't, its reliance had to rest on technical superiority: more, and more terrible, weapons.

Since both the West and Russia now could dismember each other with their atomic weapons, it might seem the part of wisdom for them to agree in a hurry to get rid of their bombs.

But he increased strength on sides since 1946 has made agreement on disarmament more difficult. For one thing, in 1946 the Communists were playing it foxey. They had not become openly aggressive as they did later in Korea and Indochina.

If the United States and its allies

# Seeks Way to Equalize Schools

By AM JOHNNON  
JACKSON, Miss. — Mississippi's Legislature is groping today toward a watered-down program to equalize Negro and white schools, still fearful that the U.S. Supreme Court will abolish racial segregation.

The question in the 13-week-old legislative fight is how to maintain segregation, not whether to retain it.

Hovering over the conflict is the Supreme Court and its decision on five school segregation cases.

If the court bans segregation, a special legislative session looms. Mississippi's answer probably would be to abolish public schools and furnish tuition for private.

agreed to disarmament and outlawing the bombs, what assurance would they have that the Communists, with their superior and expendable manpower, wouldn't try to overwhelm the West or the rest of Asia by sheer weight of numbers?

Its main defense now is in its weapons. It won't give them up easily, or break up its alliances. An Russia which spurned previous American proposals for disarmament, hasn't shown any signs of changing its mind.

**Gas Price Worries Oil Industry**  
By SAM DAWSON  
TULSA Okla. (AP) — Gasoline prices at your filling station are likely to be firmer soon, oilmen say today.

But with gasoline stocks higher than they like and refinery capacity larger than civilian demand requires, oil producers have an uneasy eye on the course of business generally. They expect rising demand for their products, out they admit that any sharp drop in the economy would make their price structure shaky.

The oil industry also is sharply divided over how large a volume of imports of more cheaply produced foreign oil the United States should let come in now. Congressional debate on President Eisenhower foreign trade program is likely to bring a new anti-import blast from the solely domestic producers, especially the segregated schools, in line with plans in Georgia and South Carolina. Resolutions to abolish schools are pending in both houses, but they do not go into details.

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